tourists, shall obtain a certificate in the English language from the manufacturer for each shipment showing the following information:

- (1) The name and address of the consignee.
  - (2) The kind and brand name.
  - (3) The quantity thereof as follows-
- (i) If distilled spirits, the proof gallons or liters and degree of proof;
- (ii) If wine, the taxable grade and wine gallons:
- (iii) If beer, the gallons (liquid measure) and the percentage of alcohol by volume; and
- (iv) If articles, the kind, quantity, and proof of the liquors used therein.
- (4) For liquors manufactured under a formula—
- (i) The number and date of the approved formula;
- (ii) A declaration that the liquors have been manufactured in accordance with the approved formula; and
- (iii) The name and address of the person filing the formula.
- (5) The name and address of the producer.
- (6) For liquors and articles containing liquors produced outside of the Virgin Islands, the country of origin for each such liquor.
- (7) For distilled spirits, a certification by the insular gauger as to whether they were regauged when withdrawn from the insular bonded warehouse and, if regauged, whether they were at the time of withdrawal at the proof indicated on the attached record of gauge.
- (8) For distilled spirits which contain eligible wine or eligible flavors, the effective tax rate applied to the product and the elements necessary to compute the effective tax rate in accordance with § 250.262a as follows—
- (i) Proof gallons of distilled spirits (exclusive of distilled spirits derived from eligible flavors);
- (ii) Wine gallons of each eligible wine and the percentage of alcohol by volume of each;
- (iii) Proof gallons of distilled spirits derived from eligible flavors; and
- (iv) On or after December 1, 1990, the name of the manufacturer, formula number from ATF F 5530.5 (1678) or 5150.19 and date of approval or the date

- of the statement of eligibility for each eligible flavor (See § 250.204a); and
- (v) After December 1, 1990, the date of the statement of eligibility for each eligible wine.
- (b) The person bringing the liquors or articles into the United States shall file the certificate and record of gauge with the district director of customs at the port of entry, at the time of entry summary, as provided in §\$250.260 and 250.302.

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(Sec. 201, Pub. L. 85–859, 72 Stat. 1366, as amended (26 U.S.C. 5232); Sec. 6, Pub. L. 96–598, 94 Stat. 3488, as amended (26 U.S.C. 5010))

[T.D. ATF-297, 55 FR 18067, Apr. 30, 1990]

#### §250.206 Marking packages and cases.

The distiller, rectifier, or bottler shall serially number each case, barrel, cask, or similar container of distilled spirits filled for shipment to the United States. In addition to the serial number of the container, the distiller, rectifier, or bottler shall plainly print, stamp, or stencil with durable coloring material, in letters and figures not less than one-half inch high, on the head of each barrel, cask or similar container or on one side of each case, as follows:

- (a) The name of the manufacturer;
- (b) The brand name and kind of liquor; and
- (c) The wine and proof gallon contents; or, for bottles filed according to the metric standards of fill prescribed by §5.47a, of this chapter, the contents in liters and the proof of the spirits.

[T.D. ATF-43, 42 FR 30836, June 17, 1977]

## § 250.207 Destruction of marks and brands.

The marks, brands, and serial numbers required by this part to be placed on barrels, casks, or similar containers, or cases, shall not be removed, obscured or obliterated before the contents thereof have been removed.

[T.D. ATF-198, 50 FR 8552, Mar. 1, 1985]

#### §250.209 Samples.

The Director may require samples of liquors and articles to be submitted

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whenever desired for laboratory analyses in order to determine the rate of tax applicable thereto.

[20 FR 6077, Aug. 20, 1955, as amended by T.D. 7006, 34 FR 2250, Feb. 15, 1969. Redesignated at 40 FR 16835, Apr. 15, 1975]

SPECIAL (OCCUPATIONAL) TAXES

#### §250.210 Liquor dealer's special taxes.

Every person bringing liquors into the United States from the Virgin Islands, who sells, or offers for sale, such liquors shall file Form 5630.5 with ATF in accordance with the instruction on the form, and pay special occupational tax as a wholesale dealer in liquor or as a retail dealer in liquor, in accordance with the laws and regulations governing the payment of such special taxes (part 194 of this chapter).

(Sec. 201, Pub. L. 85-859, 72 Stat. 1340 as amended, 1343 as amended, 1344 as amended (26 U.S.C. 5111, 5112, 5121, 5122))

[T.D. ATF-70, 45 FR 33981, May, 21, 1980, as amended by T.D. ATF-251, 52 FR 19339, May 22, 1987]

## §250.211 Warehouse receipts covering distilled spirits.

Since the sale of warehouse receipts for distilled spirits is equivalent to the sale of distilled spirits, every person bringing distilled spirits into the United States from the Virgin Islands, who sells, or offers for sale, warehouse receipts for distilled spirits stored in warehouses, or elsewhere, incurs liability to special tax as a dealer in liquors at the place where such warehouse receipts are sold, or offered for sale, and must file return and pay occupational tax as provided in §250.210.

(68A Stat. 618, 620, 621; 26 U.S.C. 5111, 5112, 5121, 5122)

### Subpart K—Formulas for Products From the Virgin Islands

SOURCE: T.D. ATF-62, 44 FR 71715, Dec. 11, 1979, unless otherwise noted.

#### §250.220 Formulas for liquors.

(a) Distilled spirits products. Persons in the Virgin Islands who ship distilled spirits beverage products to the United States shall comply with the formula requirements of part 5 of this chapter. If any product contains liquors made outside of Virgin Islands, the country of origin for each such liquor shall be stated on the formula. All formulas required by this paragraph shall be submitted on ATF Form 5110.38, in accordance with §250.224.

(b) Wine. Persons in the Virgin Islands who ship wine to the United States shall comply with the formula requirements of part 240 of this chapter. If any wines contains liquors made outside of the Virgin Islands, the country of origin for each such liquor shall be stated on the formula. All formulas required by this paragraph shall be submitted on ATF Form 698 Supplemental, in accordance with §250.224.

[T.D. ATF-62, 44 FR 71715, Dec. 11, 1979, as amended by T.D. ATF-198, 50 FR 8552, Mar. 1, 1985]

# § 250.221 Formulas for articles, eligible articles and products manufactured with denatured spirits.

- (a) Formulas for articles and eligible articles. Formulas for articles made with distilled spirits must show the quantity and proof of the distilled spirits used, and the percentage of alcohol by volume contained in the finished product. Formulas for articles made with beer or wine must show the kind and quantity thereof (liquid measure), and the percent of alcohol by volume of such beer or wine. Formulas and samples for eligible articles are required in accordance with subpart F of part 17 of this chapter.
- (b) Formulas for products manufactured with denatured spirits. Products manufactured with denatured spirits shall be manufactured in accordance with the formula requirements of part 20 of this chapter for similar products made in the United States.
- (1) Products may be made with completely denatured alcohol for sale under brand names under part 20 of this chapter without obtaining an approved formula. If ingredients are added in sufficient quantities to materially change the composition and character of the completely denatured alcohol, the product is not classified as completely denatured alcohol and may not be marked, branded, or sold as completely denatured alcohol.